

## Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY KHARTOUM

TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 4026

INFO AMEMBASSY CAIRO IMMEDIATE

AMEMBASSY NDJAMENA IMMEDIATE

AMEMBASSY TRIPOLI IMMEDIATE

C O N F I D E N T I A L KHARTOUM 1094

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR CD SU

SUBJECT: GOS INTERESTED IN CHADIAN DEVELOPMENTS

1. ACTING FONMIN DENG SUMMONED AMBASSADOR APRIL 1 TO INQUIRE WHETHER WE HAD ANY INFO RE RECENT ATTEMPTED COUP IN NDJAMENA. AMBASSADOR SAID HE HAD NO INFO OTHER THAN RADIO NEWS REPORTS. DENG SAID GOS WAS KEENLY INTERESTED IN DEVELOPMENTS AND WOULD APPRECIATE ANYTHING WE MIGHT BE ABLE PROVIDE. IT WAS HIS UNDERSTANDING (EVIDENTLY BASED ON AFP REPORT) THAT INCIDENT WAS ABORTIVE COUP BY LIEUTENANTS FROM QUOTE APRIL 3 CAMP UNQUOTE UNDER ALI TABU, GROUP FORCES COMMANDER. EIGHT INDIVIDUALS KILLED, INCLUDING TABU. CITING NEWS AGENCY'S SPECULATION, DENG WONDERED RE SOURCE WEAPONS AND POSSIBLE INSPIRATION BEHIND ATTEMPT.

2. COMMENT: FACT AMBASSADOR SUMMONED ON A FRIDAY REFLECTS DEGREE GOS INTEREST IN WHAT THEY FEAR MAY BE LIBYAN-BACKED COUP ATTEMPT. WOULD APPRECIATE ANYTHING WE CAN PASS TO GOS. BREWER

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